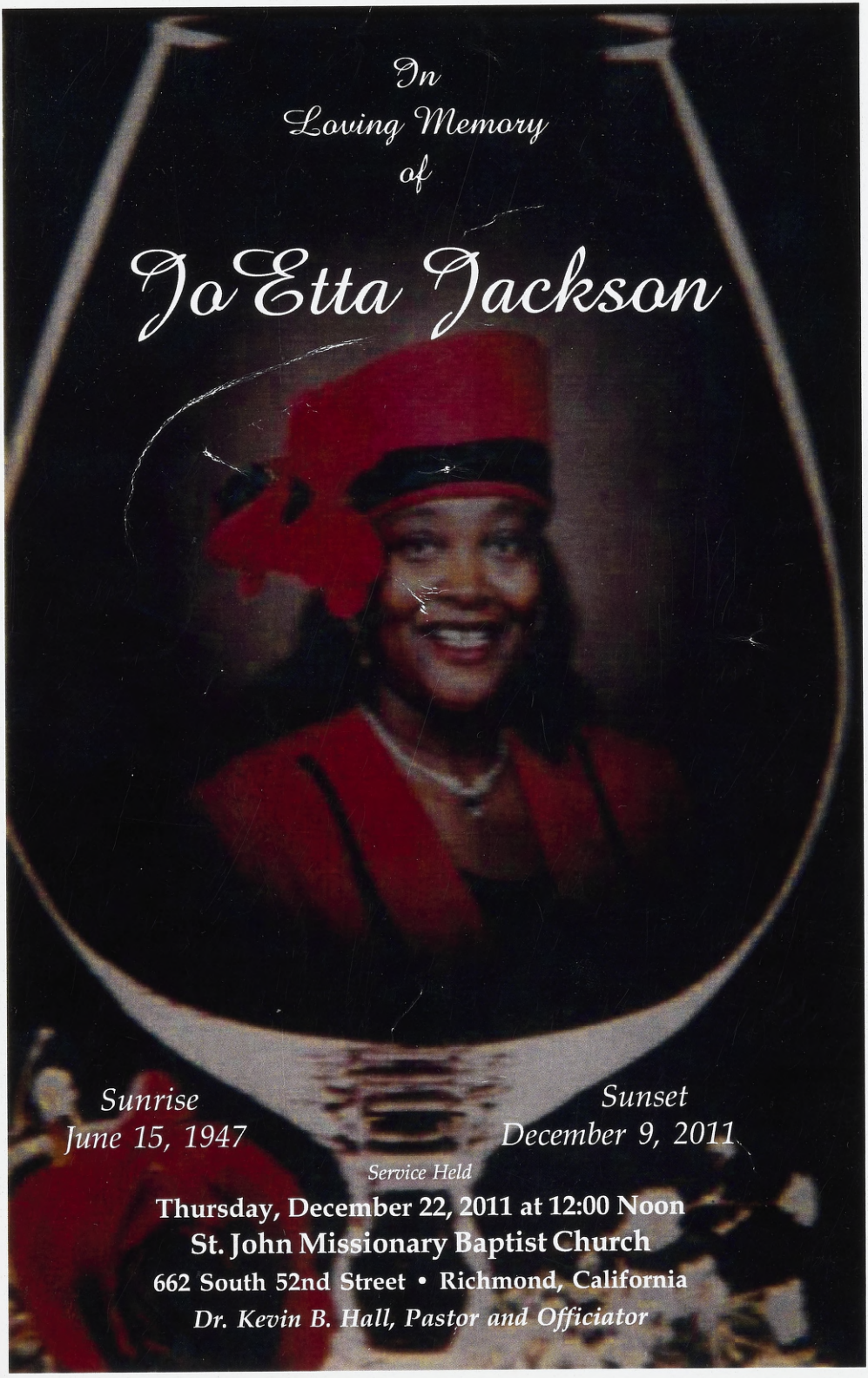
In
Loving Memory
of
Jo Etta Jackson
Sunrise
June 15, 1947
Sunset
December 9, 2011
Service Held
Thursday, December 22, 2011 at 12:00 Noon
St. John Missionary Baptist Church
662 South 52nd Street • Richmond, California
Dr. Kevin B. Hall, Pastor and Officiator

Obituary

JoEtta Jackson, affectionately known as "Auntie French Fry" was born June 15, 1947, in Oakland, California to Joseph P. and Edna B. Conwright who preceded her in death. She was one of eight children. Her daughter Ayiesha Angela Farr also preceded her in death. JoEtta accepted Christ at an early age and was baptized at the Church of Christ in Richmond, California. In 1996, she joined the St. John Missionary Baptist Church in Richmond. Upon moving to Las Vegas she joined Evergreen Baptist Church in North Las Vegas, Nevada.

JoEtta graduated from Richmond High School in 1965, and attended Contra Costa County Community College, majoring in business administration. In the early 1970's she moved to Seattle, Washington and worked for SeaLand Corporation. JoEtta returned to Richmond and worked for World Airways as a Secretary for five years. In 1987, she continued her career working for Martinez Detention Facility as a clerk. She was later promoted to Lead Specialist at the Sheriff's Department where she retired after 17 years in 2005.

JoEtta was a member of the Eastern Star Chapter Number 22; she was a Past Matron. JoEtta was a loving mother who loved to cook for her family and friends. JoEtta started the "Conwright Annual Bar-B-Que" in May of every year in Las Vegas. Her favorite pasttime was going to Bingo.

JoeEtta Jackson departed this life on Friday, December 9, 2011. She leaves to cherish her memory two daughters Dina Felder of Vallejo and Tenisha Gray of Sacramento; five sisters: JoAnn Conwright of San Leandro, Julia Warren of Citrus Heights, Beverly Whaley of El Sobrante, Gloria Thrower of Las Vegas and Deborah Edwards of Sacramento; three brothers: Joseph Conwright, Jr., and Edgar Lee Conwright both of Atlanta, Georgia and Edwin Earl Warren of Richmond; one favorite son Daryl Hart, and one god sister Linda Simons of Richmond. She also leaves grandchildren: Kimmie James, Derrick Williams, Robert Nickelberry, Jeremiah Moore, Mia Patterson, Ramyah Moore, Maurice Dodson, and Joetta Gray; one great grandson La'bron Loggins; and a host of other family and friends. JoEtta also leaves her fiance' Ervin Burns whom she was to marry in May 2012.

Order of Service

Processional ..... Ministers & Family

Scripture Reading ..... *Old Testament* ..... Minister Cochise Potts

New Testament ..... Minister Cecil Taylor

Prayer ..... Minister Cecil Taylor

Solo ..... *"God Is Standing By"* .. Brother Philander Chatman

Acknowledgements ..... Sister Ann Lucas

Expressions ..... *(2 minutes please)* ..... Family & Friends

Star of Love Representative

Sister Beverly Whaley

Poem ..... Sister Dennine Henderson & Danita Dorsey

Poem ..... Sister Brenda Turner

Solo ..... Sister Rose Hawkins

Obituary Reading ..... Sister Gail Garrett

Solo ..... Brother Tom Hansbrough

Words of Comfort ..... Dr. Kevin B. Hall

Parting View ..... Wilson & Kratzer Staff

Recessional .....

Internment

Rolling Hills Memorial Park

4100 Hilltop Mall Road • Richmond, California

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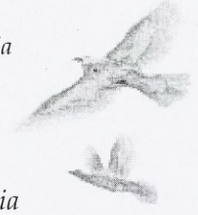
Odum Hall

2131 Nevin Avenue • Richmond, California



Every day a child is born; and a Mother is made.
Yet it is once in a lifetime that
Mothers are as good as you are made.

Pallbearers

Cohise Potts
Kenneth Lewis
Freddie McDonald
Michael Jenkins
Jason Davis, Sr.
Leland Harrison

Honorary Pallbearers

Joseph Conwright, Jr.
Edgar Lee Conwright
Edwin Earl Warren
Earnest Houston
Raheem Gillum
Carl Potts

Acknowledgements

We would like to thank you for your many acts of kindness during our time of sympathy. Your prayers, calls, food dishes, and visits will remain with us. We ask that you continue to keep us in your prayers as we continue to heal from our loss.
~ The Conwright Family~

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